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## GREAT EUROPEAN WAR NOW SEEMS INEVITABLE

The Situation Has Not Improved Today but Is Regarded by leaders as Worse Than Yesterday—Germany Has Proclaimed Martial Law and a Clash of Nations Is Imminent—Telephone Lines Between France and Germany Cut—Wildest War Enthusiasm Prevails Throughout Russia—France Securing Trans-Atlantic Liners for Troop Transports.

[By Associated Press]  
London, England, July 31.—The British fleet today deserted Weihaiwei, China, sailing for an unknown destination in preparation for the Germans.

It is reported that all telephone lines between France and Germany were cut at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

A Berlin dispatch says the Russians blew up the frontier bridge of Warsaw, on the Vienna Railroad.

Premier Asquith made the momentous announcement in the House of Commons, saying that Russia has ordered a general mobilization and that this is what caused the German martial law proclamation, and that German general mobilization will follow. The hope which was revived when it was announced that Russia and Austria had resumed conversations, practically died out on the announcement of German martial law.

Servian dispatches indicate the successful resistance so far to the Austrian invasion.

### Stock Exchange Closed.

[By Associated Press]  
New York, July 31.—The Stock Exchange closed today on account of the European war. The closing was to prevent the exchange here from becoming the dumping grounds for the world's securities, since practically all foreign exchanges are closed. Boston, Chicago, Pittsburg and Philadelphia exchanges, and the curb market here and the Consolidated exchange are all closed.

### New Orleans Closed.

[By Associated Press]  
New Orleans, La., July 31.—The cotton exchange has closed here until further notice.

### London Exchange Closed.

[By Associated Press]  
London, England, July 31.—The stock exchange has closed indefinitely. Traders cannot get enough money for transactions.

### New York Has Failures.

[By Associated Press]  
New York, July 31.—Flower & Co., one of the oldest stock exchange firms in the city, failed today. H. S. P. Pell & Co., one of the biggest cotton broker firms, suspended. There were several smaller failures.

### Railroad Into Receivership.

[By Associated Press]  
Chicago, Ill., July 31.—The Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis railway was thrown into receivership today.

### No Wheat Pit Failures.

[By Associated Press]  
Chicago, Ill., July 31.—No failures in the wheat pit today. Wheat declined slightly.

### Cotton Fluctuated Widely.

[By Associated Press]  
New Orleans, July 31.—Cotton ranged six dollars a bale up and down before the exchange closed.

### State of War in Germany.

[By Associated Press]  
Berlin, July 31.—Emperor William issued a decree proclaiming a "state of war" in Germany. This means simply that martial law is proclaimed.

### Americans Tied Up at Hamburg.

[By Associated Press]  
Berlin, July 31.—Grand Duke Ernest did not go to St. Petersburg as was semi-officially announced he would yesterday. It is now reported Prince Henry of Germany went instead.

All exports from Germany were prohibited today. On pain of death all persons are prohibited from approaching within one hundred yards of railroad tracks or culverts.

The foreign office this morning announced no mobilization order would be issued today, but said the situation was worse than yesterday.

Six hundred Americans are tied up at Hamburg when the sailing of the steamer Imperator was cancelled today. All German shipping has been notified to hold itself in readiness for use in war transportation.

### Will Make Further Peace Efforts.

[By Associated Press]  
London, England, July 31.—It is officially announced that Russia and Austria will resume conversations for a peaceful settlement of the present situation.

### Austrians Repel Attack.

[By Associated Press]  
Vienna, Austria, July 31.—Austrian frontier guards repelled a strong Servian attack at Klotievatz.

### Servians Hold Pass.

[By Associated Press]  
Nish, Servia, July 31.—It is reported the Austrians up to tonight have failed to dislodge the Servians from the pass at Semendria, which guards this city. Desperate fighting is reported along the river Drina, both sides losing heavily. In an all-day fight the Austrians failed to drive the Servians from the passes.

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## VICTORIA GERMANS SHOW PATRIOTISM

German-American Rough Riders Organized With Declaration of Allegiance to German Emperor.

Victoria, Texas, July 31.—When the news was flashed across the ocean of the close proximity of war, it touched the patriotic chord in the bosoms of the Germans in this city. It is a matter of no small concern that the first movement to aid the Fatherland, in Texas, was started in Victoria. In their bosoms the citizens hold a fond reverence for their mother country. And if necessary will lay down their lives and fortunes in giving her their support.

When the news was received here of the possibility of war, it remained the patriotic duty of Edward Weber to start a movement to organize a company of volunteers. The company will be called "The German-American Rough Riders." Mr. Weber, within a short time, found many ready and willing to sign the pledge to lend their services to his majesty, Kaiser Wilhelm.

Below is reproduced the pledge and those who placed their signatures on the petition to join the German-American Rough Riders:

"We, the undersigned, pledge ourselves to fight for Kaiser Wilhelm in case Germany has to go to war during the present European trouble. Our company shall be called 'The German-American Rough Riders' and our captain shall be Edward H. G. Weber. Signed: Edward H. G. Weber, captain; F. L. Goldman, corporal; Joseph E. Philbert, first lieutenant; C. F. Haller, second lieutenant; J. F. Krehmleier,

## GOOD CITIZENS IN ROBERTSON COUNTY

Volunteer Car Service for Good Roads Trip to Grimes County.

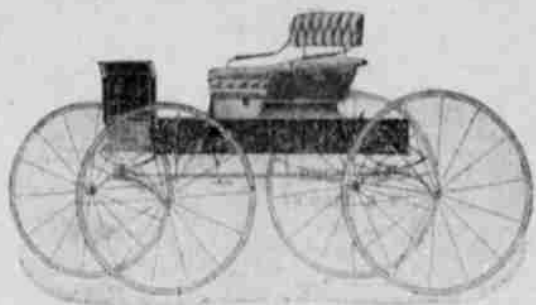
Although living in another county, three Robertson County citizens phoned today to list their cars with the secretary of the Bryan Commercial Club to make the trip to Grimes County next Thursday, August 6th. These gentlemen are Messrs. Lee Joney, Jim Dunn and Ralph Dunn. They will carry four men in each car and are anxious to aid their Brazos County neighbors in the good roads movement.

These progressive men, with a few others in their community, have for years maintained the best road leading out of Bryan, none excepted. When the time comes to fix up their road they go out and do it without making any unnecessary fuss about it. They are a credit to the county in which they live and will be missed when the good Lord calls them to their reward.

color sergeant: Otto Ludwig Urban, first sergeant: Francis Schuchert, second sergeant: Joe Freadking, W. A. Angell, photo correspondent: V. E. Goldman, bugler: A. Heinke, W. H. Culmeir, Clement Albrecht, Locke Lemert, G. E. Hoffman, Edwin Weber, Paul Zucker, J. J. Heinke, R. W. Schuster, H. E. Bush, J. J. Woodhouse, L. Grunder, D. D. Highsmith, Eugene Schaefer, V. H. Mertz, E. Yzaguirre, A. L. Alexander, U. C. Bassett, E. C. Pela, R. B. Bledsoe."

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### Russia and Germany Confer.

[By Associated Press]  
St. Petersburg, July 31.—The Russian Emperor today held an audience with the German Ambassador. The Emperor afterward conferred with a full council of his ministers.

### Royal Yacht Escaped.

Athens, July 31.—The Montenegrin royal yacht escaped the Austrian fleet here, after a hot pursuit.

### Bring Shipping Under American Flag.

[By Associated Press]  
Washington, July 31.—President Wilson is planning to bring a large part of the world's shipping under the American flag in case of war.

### Germany Placing Officers.

[By Associated Press]  
Berlin, Germany, July 31.—Crown Prince Frederick has been appointed to command the first division of the Imperial Guards army corps.

### Russia Wildly Excited.

[By Associated Press]  
St. Petersburg, Russia, July 31.—The wildest war enthusiasm prevails here. This city was awake all night.

### France Securing Transports.

[By Associated Press]  
Paris, France, July 31.—France is securing trans-Atlantic liners for troop transports. There are big German military preparations on the French frontier. Only a German patrol by mistake actually crossed the French border.

## KILLED HIS WIFE AND SUICIDED

[By Associated Press]  
Dallas, Texas, July 31.—Ed Wade killed his young wife and himself with a pistol here today. Unhappiness is given as the cause.

### TEXAS SWAMP AND OVERFLOW LANDS.

Washington, D. C., July 31.—The swamp and overflow land area of Texas is 1,620,000 acres and ranks fifteenth with other states in this respect, according to a report issued recently by the National Conservation Commission. The total overflow area of the United States is 74,542,000 acres and Florida and Louisiana are the leading states in this respect.

### PAY CHECKS A WEEK LATE.

[By Associated Press]  
Austin, Texas, July 31.—All regular and substitute rural carriers in Texas will receive their July pay checks a week late this year. E. A. Junck, paymaster for the carriers, today said the delay was due to instructions not to pay the men until the arrival of the new salary table, providing a ten per cent increase. During the past quarter \$538,000 was paid to rural carriers in Texas.

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